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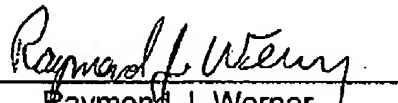
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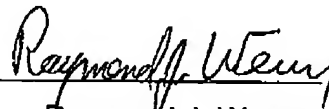
**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of 13 January 2005.

Presented below, and beginning on a separate sheet, a corrected Claim Amendments section in which the missing status identifier for Claims 16, 17 and 20 have been included, is submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

By   
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Dated: 19 January 2005  
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